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## The State of New Hampshire

## Department of Environmental Services



## Michael P. Nolin Commissioner

LETTER OF DEFICIENCY

No. WD SS 05-12

October 26, 2005

Mr. William Vardaro 21 Farmhouse Road Bedford, NH 03110

RE: 36 Oakdale Road, Bradford, NH

Dear Mr. Vardaro:

On October 19, 2005, personnel from the Town of Bradford conducted an inspection of the Bradford property, described as Lot # 13, on Tax Map # 19, and located on Oakdale Road, Bradford, NH, 03221 ("the Property"). The purpose of this inspection was to determine whether you were in compliance with RSA 485-A and it's implementing regulations, the Subdivision and Individual Sewage Disposal System Design Rules, Env-Ws 1000 ("the Rules").

As a result of the inspection, the following deficiency was noted:

1. A holding tank serves the property. No permit was ever issued by DES for this holding tank.

DES expects the above deficiency to be permanently corrected within 60 days by initiating and completing the following measures:

- 1. Engage a permitted septic system designer to prepare and submit septic system plans and specifications to DES for the total waste load generated on the Property.
- 2. Obtain approval to construct the system.
- 3. Construct and obtain approval to cover and use the system.
- 4. Operate and maintain the system in accordance with NH Administrative Rule Env-Ws 1023.

During interim between receipt of this letter and the date by which permanent corrections have been completed, as an alternate to vacating the premises, DES expects that collected sewage will be pumped and disposed in accordance with NH Administrative Rule Env-Ws 1600 at sufficient frequent intervals to prevent further overflow. If this alternative is utilized, it is advised that pumping receipts be retained.

DES believes the cited deficiency will be corrected within 60 days and a report describing the corrective measures can be submitted to this office within 60 days of receipt of this letter.

In the event compliance is not achieved within this period, DES may take further action against you, including issuing an order requiring the above items to be corrected, initiating an administrative fine proceeding, and/or referring the matter to the New Hampshire Department of Justice for imposition of civil and/or criminal penalties. In addition, DES personnel will reinspect the Property at a later date to determine whether you have come into, and are maintaining, full compliance with all applicable statutes and directives.

The written report as requested above should be addressed as follows:

Richard J. de Seve, SSB, DES Department of Environmental Services 6 Hazen Drive, PO Box 95 Concord, NH 03302-0095

Your prompt cooperation is appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Richard J. de Seve at 271-3442.

Sincerely,

William E. Evans, P.E.

Administrator

Subsurface Systems Bureau

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Board of Selectmen, Town of Bradford

Richard J. de Seve, SSB, DES